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"The Ottawa Spotlight"

A Weekly Review of National Affairs
(By Speculator)

Ottawa, Sept. 8th.—The Czechoslovakian crisis and the unrelenting efforts of the ultra-nationalist groups of the troubled waters and to keep a check on an aggressive power have overshadowed all subjects of domestic interest in the capital. The Dominion government has been kept fully informed of every shifting phase of the profoundly serious negotiations that revolve about the central European republic with its Russian, German minority and on which the peace of the world depends. Naturally the government makes no comment; it watches anxiously and fervently hopes that success will crown the efforts of those striving to prevent the outbreak of war.

The Bren Machine Gun

This does not mean that there have been no other questions stirring the council chamber and the corridors on parliament hill. The department of national defence has been very much in the public eye. The recent mass attack on the Bren machine gun contract with a firm in Toronto, alleging "excessive" profits to the manufacturer, and the refusal of the department to refund the cost of the machine given wide publicity. "On account of the critical world situation and the extreme importance of keeping public confidence in the vitally necessary work being carried on by my department," the minister, with the approval of his colleagues has decided to set up a judicial inquiry at once into the contract. The inquiry will be directed by a judge of one of the higher courts "whose name will command universal confidence." The bill is empowered to examine into every phase and feature of the contract. The minister, Mr. Macdonald gives his assurance that the contract is fair and reasonable and in the public interest.

Wheat Situation

Some comment is felt here in regard to the way the United States will administer its bonus on wheat export. With the object of ensuring the sale of 100 million bushels of the country's wheat to foreign markets, the government at Washington has adopted a policy of "absorbing" the difference between the domestic and foreign prices on wheat to be exported. That is the way it has been described. It parallels the Canadian wheat price guarantee to some extent. Officials here do not think that this policy means that the Washington government will dump the wheat on the market. When speaking before the international convention of agricultural economists at St. Anne de Bellevue, the secretary of agriculture in the United States government said that the United States would work in a co-operative spirit with the Canadian trade in marketing wheat. It is believed here that this means in effect that there will be no dumping. The United States government will finance its bonus plan through money appropriated by act of congress from customs receipts. This act provides that thirty per cent of these receipts may be set aside for the removal of agricultural surpluses from regular markets. With the carry over of about 200 million bushels from last year the United States will have a total surplus of about 400 million bushels. This year's crop of winter and spring wheat has been about 500 million bushels and the domestic consumption is about 750 million bushels.

St. Lawrence Waterway
In a letter written by Prime Minister Mackenzie King to Premier Hupburn of Ontario, Mr. King has invited the province of Ontario to join in a joint technical examination and discussion of the St. Lawrence seaway project with federal officials. These discussions would not obligate either the province or dominion in any way. They would be simply for guidance of the governments. The proposals of the United States, Mr. King states, are not a plan for this waterway outstanding phases of the development of the St. Lawrence Great Lakes system which are of interest to both the United States and the United Kingdom. The questions include the development of the international section of the St. Lawrence, the preservation of the scenery and of Niagara, with increased use of power resources, the diversion of water from the Hudson Bay watershed into Lake Superior with recognition that this additional water could be used by Canada for power purposes.

The interchange of power and the permanent solution of the Chicago drainage canal question. In the cost of work on the international section of the St. Lawrence Canada will be credited with \$125,000,000, which Canada has spent on the Willard canal. Mr. Hupburn has advanced, Mr. King stated that "no final conclusion can be reached as to the feasibility of the whole project as set forth in the draft treaty until a possibility of a solution of the power questions involved have been explored." Mr. King's letter further stated that seven years would elapse after the treaty was signed and ratified before the successive blocks of power to be generated on the international section for the use of Canada could be made available. "In addition there would be the possibility of some further postponement of the actual utilization of some of the power depending on the financial arrangements to be made."

At the opening of the Champlain Island Bridge President Roosevelt strongly advocated the construction of the seaway. In a letter to Mr. King Mr. Hupburn reiterated his opposition to the project. The province of Ontario had, he said, surplus power on its hands, and it would be many years before it could utilize the new horse power which would be generated at the international section. The St. Lawrence East of Lake Ontario and the construction of dams would generate two million horsepower of electric energy.

HIRTLE'S THEATRE BOOKS GOOD PICTURES
For the coming weeks a choice theatrical menu is being offered the local theatre patrons.

Next Week—The Amazing Doctor Clithwaite which has a week run at the Capitol.

Followed by the coming weeks by such pictures as Harold Lloyd's Professor Beware; Victoria the Great; Stella Dallas; The Hurricane; Stella Dallas; A Star is Born, etc.

COMING EVENTS
The regular meeting of the Strathmore Society will be held Wednesday, Sept. 14th at 8 p.m. A full attendance is urged.

MAKING CANADA A BETTER PLACE IN WHICH TO LIVE

Special Written for Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association.
In response to your letter, I should like to say that the officers of the Canadian National Railways are always conscious of the important part the weekly newspapers play in Canada and affairs and that we fully appreciate the keen interest the members of your association take in the welfare of the National Railways system. We have noticed with satisfaction that you have extended this to Canada's newest enterprise, the Trans-Canada.

I hope that the weekly newspapers will continue their valuable work of fostering a spirit of unity throughout the Dominion and encouraging Canada to move forward for steady improvement in conditions by avoiding useless controversies which can only tend to retard the nation's progress. Above all, I hope you will carry on your discouragement of those pessimists who seem to have no other contribution to make than the forecast of disaster. The things to be advocated today, it seems to me, are the avoidance of anything which might give rise to racial or any other form of strife, and the positive qualities of sane optimism and hard work. These, I think you will agree, are Canadian characteristics. It is not enough to recognize them and be proud of them; we must maintain and extend them.

With kind regards and all good wishes to your membership and to yourself, I am,
Yours faithfully,
R. J. HENDERSON,
Chairman and President, Canadian National Railways.

Local News Items

Mrs M. B. Chapman has as her guests her sister Mrs. Ethel L. Stone and the latter's daughter, Miss Dorothy Stone. Mrs. Stone is Private Secretary to Mr. Zukor, Production Executive, Paramount Pictures Inc., Hollywood, Cal.

Miss Margaret Kirby of Cochrane, Quebec who has spent the summer with her sister in Calgary was a week and guest of Mrs. Hughes and Miss Gladys Hughes. Sunday they motored to Carstairs to see Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chamberlain.

Mr. Victor Ball of the Drumheller Mail called at the Standard Office Saturday last.

Jane Julian will leave Sunday morning for Seattle where she will enter school for the year.

Miss Violet White has returned home after spending the past two days in Lethbridge.

Mrs. Offin, her son Anthony and daughter Blanche were holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. Offin in Strathmore.

Mrs. Fred Holmes entertained her C. G. T. group at her home Tuesday last week, when a happy afternoon was much enjoyed.

Strathmore visitors to Banff over the week and included Mr. and Mrs. Hirtle and family, Mr. and Mrs. McGowan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and the Misses Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie, Miss Ada Wright and Mr. A. D. Strathmore and Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hay returned last Saturday from Vancouver and Victoria. Mr. Hay is attending the Fall Fair at the two cities where the C. P. R. showings are making good showings.

Mrs. D. A. Perry was the guest of her mother Mrs. R. A. McIntyre and sister Mrs. Hutton of Bellevue for a week returning Saturday last.

Perry went to Medicine Hat for the holiday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. May.

Mrs. Kenneth Hilliard of Calgary, in the General Hospital, is making satisfactory recovery, which her friends will be pleased to hear.

Miss Alice Garrett left last Saturday for Leduc where she is engaged as teacher for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and children and Hector McGowan were both bridge visitors to Strathmore Monday.

Mr. Gordon of Calgary has joined the staff of the local bank.

Lois Schulte will leave Monday next to attend Mount Royal College in Calgary.

Mrs. M. Lounsbury had the misfortune to trip over a piece of wire in her yard causing her to fall and break her right wrist. She was attended by Dr. MacLure in the Calgary General Hospital.

BOY SCOUT NOTES
The Strathmore Troop Boy Scouts with their leader Rev. Geo. W. Lang are planning a hike and Council Picnic, Friday, September 9th. They will leave St. Michael's Church at 6:30 p.m. in the near future the ceremony of investiture of the Tenderfoots will be conducted by assistant Commissioner Mr. Ralph Johnson.

A bridge party will be arranged for Thursday, October 13th in the Memorial Hall.

On Tuesday evening September 5, the regular meeting of the Junior Scouts, the Cubs, was held at Lambert's Park under the leadership of Cubmaster Jack Crellan and Assistant Cubmaster Kenneth Wright.

Kenneth Wright in a most praiseworthy fashion took Cub report submissions during the holidays and now the boys fine and fit for another term are showing keen interest and active response, the result of a very successful cubbing season.

Tuesday night's meeting, the first since school opened was marked by the attendance of fifteen young ones.

UNITED CHURCH SUPPER

The supper served Wednesday evening under the auspices of the L. A. of United Church, was very well attended. An appetizing supper was provided and a pleasant social hour enjoyed. The supper netted about \$25.

School Fair of Strathmore District Sept. 16 And 17

One of the outstanding attractions of the fair will be the sale of the pieces of the Schools of Strathmore.

Strathmore District is that of the School Fair. District not for the sake of competition, but that each school and pupil may see that the others are doing a great stimulus to doing the best work possible.

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Dance.
Vegetable entries will be exhibited in the building next to the bank.

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humans. Explanation of Cub rules, trials and games, the meaning of all which leads to the investiture of the Tenderfoot, took up the hour and a half of outdoor cub activities.

For Boys and Girls Who Cannot Play
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Alberta's brief on dominion-provincial relations by the government, the recent engagement of a new "technical adviser" to advise the government on the Social Credit Board, and proposals by a British financier who has declared that he could create vast new wealth for the province if the government agreed to cooperate with him were among the highlights of the past week at the legislative building.

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He is attempting to arrange a returning program for Alberta's debt by a system by which interest would be paid on a sliding scale, averaging 10 per cent and based at all times on commodity prices. Under that plan, it would be no accident in the payment of interest in years of depression. When a report was spread that Mr. Williams had proposed to the government a plan by which the market value of Alberta bonds could be knocked down still lower than their present level, in order that the government could buy in and retire the whole public debt at the expense of the bondholders. Mr. Williams declared that he was a delirious, fat-headed, mooning observer, are waiting to see whether the government accepts or rejects his proposals.

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West's largest rodeo and prepares for a long pack trip to Mount Asinibon. They spent a holiday with the Six-Line Trail Riders and the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies and British Columbia—by Gordon Brinley, with illustrations by her artist husband, Putnam Brinley.

Devere to Western Canada by a booklet on the pleasures enjoyed by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, the "Traveling Brinleys" spent an entire summer in the pursuit of happiness and of notes and illustrations for an addition to their popular series of travel books.

In her happy, laid style, Gordon Brinley, the writer, tells of their work in Calgary to see the

another vivid countryside and excellent fishing in the Vancouver Island salmon runs.

The two adventure-loving Americans have a large following of readers in the West, and they incorporate in their book for those who would follow in their footsteps.

The pictures above show Mr. and Mrs. Brinley (photo by Peter Whyte) and some of the Canadian Rockies scenery they like best.



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Pot Pourri

Swiftly walk o'er the western wave,
Spirit of Night!
Out of the misty eastern cave,
Where, all the long and lone daylight,
Thou sovest dreams of joy and fear,
Which make thee terrible and dear,
Swift be thy flight.

Wrap thy form in a mistic gray,
Star-in-wrought!
Blind with thine hair the eyes of Day:
Kiss her until she be wearied out,
Then wander o'er city, and sea, and land.
Touching all with thine opiate wand—
Come, long sought!

When I arose and saw the dawn,<
I sighed for thee
When light rode high, and the dew
was gone,
And noon lay heavy on flower and tree
And the weary day turned to his rest
Languishing like an unloved guest,
I sighed for thee.

Thy brother Death came and cried,
Wouldst thou not meet?
Thy sweet child flees the thimble-yeed,
Murmured like a noctuid- bee,
Shall I nestle near thy side?
Wouldst thou not?—and I replied
No, not there!

Death will come when thou art dead,
Soon, too soon—
Sleep will come when thou art fled;
Of neither would I ask the boon.
I ask of thee, beloved Night—
Swift be thine approaching flight,
Come soon, soon,
"Tonight"—Shelley.



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A FARMER'S MUSINGS

(By Tim Lengbotham)

TEA AND TOBACCO

Old time grain buyers must have many a sigh over the numerous chores which have been foisted upon them in recent years.

Different agencies have made them the collectors of all sorts of accounts, and since many patrons are also personal friends, the whole thing must appear very distasteful at times.

Believe us, men, when the local elevator guys deliver up our wheat of the crop there won't be enough to take up on a world cruise in a de luxe steamer.

Indeed, if we get a fair supply of tea, tobacco and aspirin, we'll consider that a portion of "next year."

In the meantime we wish all you industrious and lucky farmers easy ridings in your swell new limousines. We'll swallow your dust with some hope that your eyes will pop at the sight of a uniformed attendant steering 1940 model chariot.

Mr. Shortest beat us up to it, but he's a real smart guy, so we've don't mind a bit.

A NEW POLITICAL FOOTBALL.—We're really anxious to read some of the comments made by Eastern writers on the wheat board.

A number of these individuals take it for granted that huge losses will be incurred through the operations, and some of them would actually be disappointed at any other outcome. Of course it is after tomorrow to predict failure at this time, for guessing at future market conditions is in the same class with forecasting the bushelage of the western crop on July 1st.

Too many things can happen in a short time to upset the calculations of even the shrewdest of mortals. Generally speaking, the boards seem to be as unpopular to the east as the tariff is in the west.

For the time being it has replaced the C. N. 3s as a political football, and big shots and little shots are all having a kick at it.

Perhaps if some of these fellows knew how much the welfare of the whole country rests on the successful disposal of the present crop they might have the grace to withhold their comments until the final reckoning.

Such a course would be more sensible than the one they are now following. SHIPS, GUNS AND MEN.—Although the naval activities of European Nations are receiving most of the publicity, it is quite evident that the ocean will become a new power, will prove to be the deciding factor in the next upheaval.

Hundreds of new ships are being built at a tremendous cost, and many old ones are receiving alterations to enable them to meet new conditions of warfare.

Within the next three years every vessel in the British navy has been completely overhauled, and the general all-round efficiency of the different squadrons has won the approval of such a well informed critic as Winston Churchill.

Deck protection has been increased to insure the safety of magazines and other vital places, while powerful anti-aircraft guns form the standard equipment of all ships from the swift flotilla leader upwards.

Unlike some of her continental rivals, Britain has not experienced any great difficulty in the manning of her new warships.

Many families have kept intimate touch with the navy for generations, and the young lads need little urging to follow in the footsteps of their fathers.

The volunteer reserve is largely made up of the numerous fishermen who wear a living from the stormy waters of the north sea and the Atlantic ocean.

These are hardy and useful individuals, but the pointmen and blockmen are permanent members of "King's Navy". It takes years of iron discipline and careful training to develop these men into the perfect machine they must be if the great project of their launch are to land on distant targets.

A LARGE AMOUNT OF INFORMATION FOR A SMALL OUTLAY

Publication of the 1938 edition of the Canada Year Book, published by authorization of the Hon. W. L. Eider, Minister of Trade and Commerce, is announced by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. The Canada Year Book is the official statistical annual of the natural resources of the Dominion and their development, the history of the country, its institutions, its vital and social statistics.

There are over thirty maps and charts contained in the volume, and two photographic inserts illustrating the sections on "The Flora of Canada" and "Historic Sites and Monuments," respectively. Three lithographic maps are included.

The main part of the Year Book extends to thirty chapters. The volume is carefully indexed and a statistical summary of the progress of Canada from 1871 to 1937 precedes the chapter material.

Persons requiring the book may obtain it from the King's Printer, Ottawa, as long as the supply lasts. At the price of \$1.50, which covers merely the cost of paper, printing and binding. By a special concession, a limited number of paper-bound copies have been set aside for ministers of religion, bona fide students and school teachers, who may obtain copies at the nominal price of 50 cents each.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

For Strathmore—
Going West 8:55 p.m.
Going East 8:05 a.m.
For Carleton Place—
Going West 8:55 a.m.
Going East 9:05 p.m.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. L. G. Strange
Director "Crop Testing Plant"

Alberta farmers in certain large areas need badly a new variety of wheat that will be so early maturing and that will possess the high quality of Marquis.

The University of Alberta, the Dominion Experimental Farms at Lacombe, Lethbridge and Beaverbridge, and the Provincial Schools of Agriculture at Olds and Vermilion are working steadily on the problem, but they now need the farmers' help, for the much desired new variety will be produced quicker if the plant breeders in these institutions can find out what farmers think of the varieties they are now using.

The University of Alberta recently published Bulletin number 30, which deals with cereal crops. I recommend

Ardenode

Mr. H. W. Riley and son Albert are spending a few days on the Riley farm. Miss Agnes Lytle has returned from

a very interesting trip to the coast. Mr. Art Aswell of Edmonton is spending the holiday with Miss Eliza both Lytle at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Watson, who Mrs. Mary Saunders spent Saturday evening in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pavcek and family spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Siwa at Redlands.

Mrs. A. Melnychuk is spending a few days with her brother at Tilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Clark also Mr. Thomas of Calgary spent Monday with Mrs. H. Shuman at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kinney of Calgary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jensen over the holiday.

Threshing got under way Monday, but had to wait, owing to a small shower. In the afternoon, but will continue Tuesday weather being favorable.

The call to action does not alter the routine of a large battalionship to any great extent.

The commander occupies the commanding tower; Shell spotters go aloft to the crow's nest, while non-combatants, such as spiritual advisers and mess attendants, prepare to help the surgeon in caring for the wounded. All the other members of the ship company are at their regular post, and since many of them are either down below or behind heavily armoured turrets only a few of the crew ever see the progress of naval battle.

The modern system of gunnery, as now practised by all the navies of the world, came from the brain of Captain Percy Scott, R. N., some-where near the close of the 19th century.

Used Cars

1937 FORD DELUXE COACH
(With Heater and Radio)

1936 FORD COACH

1935 FORD DE LUXE COACH

1933 HUPMOBILE SEDAN

1932 FORD V-8 COACH

1928 CHEVROLET SEDAN

1927 CHEVROLET SEDAN

1927 CHRYSLER COACH

Used Trucks

1935 FORD 2 TON TRUCK
(Long Wheelbase)

1931 FORD PANEL DELIVERY

1928 FORD 1 TON TRUCK



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every farmer to write for a free copy of this excellent bulletin and then to fill in and to mail the questionnaire on what that will be found therein. Those who have received the bulletin, but who have not yet filled in the questionnaire, should, I earnestly suggest, do so, for the information that farmers can supply, I am assured by Dr. Neaby of the University of Alberta, will most definitely help our plant breeders to produce the best quality earlier variety of wheat now so badly needed.

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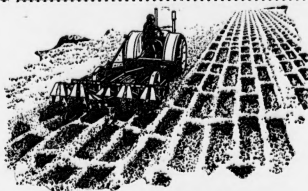


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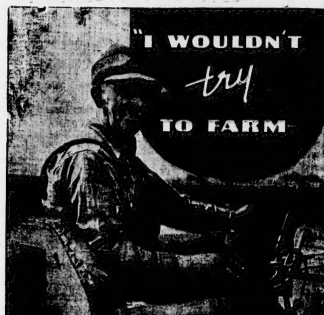
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PEACE AND THE SITUATION IN EUROPE

The world awaits each radio bulletin and each newspaper comment to learn the state of opinion and existing conditions between Czechoslovakia and Germany and the nations which are tremendously concerned there with.

Hitler in his unreasoning desire for dominance is keeping central Europe in a seething state of turmoil and high tension. Yet he says and we believe he does not want war for the present. Then and here he do we place our hope — that the powers who are seeking their supposed rights will learn in calmness of thought and deliberation, that these rights can be secured more surely obtained by arbitration, the cure of war will be averted, and in time the causes underneath removed. We quote Geo. Lansbury, English advocate of Peace, from the Christian Science Monitor.

"You see, my ideas of pacifism which often does not seem to find their way into the present come from a good deal of ridicule from people who think that I would renounce all arms and stop at that. Renunciation of war is not to my policy, but it is only a part of it. Equally important is the removal of the causes of war by a world economic conference, which would consider the pooling of all non-self governing of a committee responsible to a reformed League. Then I would have League control of all aviation, internationalization of waterways, and abandonment of all fortified naval and air bases."

Lansbury is anything but a day dreamer. He knows to well what it meant to dockers' families 20 years ago to strike for and obtain a minimum wage of 12 cents an hour to be on a strike to a strictly practical basis. He attempted nothing in the interests of the lean-faced, ill paid, ill housed workers of Bow and Bromley. Popular or unpopular he did not see his way to bringing into effect.

Today, he sets forth no proposal for settlement in a harassed, fear-ridden world that he does not believe is capable of being put into effect. He brushes aside the diplomatic futility of statecraft and ignores the counsel of most organized religion, for he says it has with few exceptions consistently been on the side of War. He strikes out for simple truth as between man and man and the simple teaching of the gospel; makes his program on that and challenges the world in general to raise any valid objections.

MAHATMA GANDHI BENEFACITOR IN EDUCATION IN INDIA

With only half as much money spent on primary education as on higher education, barely 7 per cent of the population is in school and 80 per cent of India's 250,000,000 are illiterate. This was the problem which Mahatma Gandhi and the All-India National Congress last week prepared to tackle with a new plan, the Wardha Education Scheme. Its goal: a school in every village. These schools will be opened in 166 villages of one province next month and the Central Advisory Board of Education is planning to establish them soon throughout India. Championing the plan is the late, respected, English Educated president, Bal Gangadhar Kher, Premier of Bombay, father of five children and himself a one time school teacher.

The Vidya mandira will be "work schools" instead of "book schools." The Mahatma proposes to teach the children how to use their minds by teaching them how to use their hands. Chief subjects in the curriculum will be spinning, weaving, agriculture, sugar-making, chief instruments of education, the takli, a small spindle on which the student can spin yarn as he walks, talks, plays. As they learn these trades, India's school children will also learn history, geography, the three Rs.

India's impoverished rural children who will go to school from ages 6 to 14, 28 days a year, will work for their education four hours each school day, making cloth, etc. for sale. Plans to start each school by getting a patriot to give a piece of land yielding at least 80 a year. The rest of the cost is to be met by village festivals, Gov-

ernment grants. Teachers will live in the schoolhouses, be paid \$4 a month, sign up for a minimum of 25 years' service. A problem: existing women teachers. India has virtually none. Reason — it is most for a woman to live alone. —Times Magazine.

PROMINENT ALBERTA FEATURE AT TORONTO EXHIBITION

TORONTO, Aug. — Western Canada's grain, long a favorite feature at the National Exhibition, is being brought to the attention of a precision younger brother this year who has stolen much of the spotlight attention. In one of the most elaborate and comprehensive exhibits ever erected here, Turner Valley, located at the greatest oil-producing area in the Empire, forms the central theme of an exhibit that presents a collection of miniature working models of oil drilling rigs and replicas of the oil fields which are valued at \$65,000. Paramount among these is a diagram of Turner Valley which shows in an up-to-date section the foothill country, dotted with tiny derricks, and in a lower section a cross-section of the subterranean revealing the formation, reservoir, and by geologists. As a synchronized view describes the area, lights alternately illuminate each section, to direct the observer's attention to different features.

More than a million visitors are expected to see the exhibit, according to the factbook of Exhibition officials. The display occupies one entire wing of the Automobile building and includes a lounge-lobby where spectators may rest while watching the action displays. These include complete scale models of both rotary and cable drilling rigs, the former's derrick towering 14 feet to the ceiling, complete with blocks, bits, drills, casting tractors, pumps and other details exactly in proportion.

Object of the exhibit, according to officials of Imperial Oil which erected it, is to attract attention to the developments in Turner Valley during the past two years and to inform Canadians of the problems that were overcome to produce and market Canadian oil. Of equal importance, they said, is the desire to attract young Canadians to petroleum engineering as a career, so that from Canada may be available the talent to continue development of a comparatively new industry.

Rockyford

Changes have taken place in the staff of the Alberta Government Telephone office in Rockyford. Miss Myrtle Vigne who has been the local manager for three years was transferred to the station in Turner Valley where she took up her duties on the first of Sept. Her position was filled by Miss Freda Alcock who has worked on the staff here for over two years. Miss Wanda Knapp of Strathmore is now assisting in Rockyford.

Mrs. G. Pomroy has had her visitors for the last two weeks her sister.

Mrs. C. Thompson and Mr. Thompson of Iowa, they motored through and are enjoying their first trip to our fair Alberta.

Mrs. D. R. Poole has also been surprised by company from the States when her brother Mr. John Poole arrived last week bringing with him his Mother and Sister. It is almost 16 years since Mrs. Poole people were in Rockyford and they see many changes to find many of the former residents to renew acquaintances with.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Gibson on Tuesday, August 29th when Miss Freda Alcock entertained a number of the immediate friends of Miss Myrtle Vigne on the eve of her departure for her new location at Turner Valley. The entertainment for the early part of the evening was a jolly game of Bingo at which time Mrs. Nellie McLean won the honors. A long table was laid for the delightful lunch provided by the ladies. A few words of parting and good wishes for Miss Vigne's future were extended by Mrs. G. Thompson and a very suitable reply made by the guest of honor. Miss Vigne takes up her duties in Turner Valley on the first of September.

Much of the grain in cut in the Rockyford district, many different methods being used to harvest this year's crop. On several farms baling has been commenced for some time and on others threshing is a thing of the past, with the combining well started, while a good number are doing straight combining now. In the last two weeks warm weather has been very favorable for this. But there is still many who prefer the old method of binding and stacking the wheat. The hum of threshing machines are becoming more general every day.

Thresh that is coming into the elevators is bringing a very good grade and reports of yields anywhere from 10 to 30 bushels to the acre is a very conservative estimate.

The Rockyford schools opened on Thursday last. The public school has a few new pupils this term and the high school bids fair to have a large attendance, but to date all have not registered owing to the rush on the farms. Mr. C. Brockwell is now the Principal of the Rockyford Rural High school, with Miss Korzenitz assisting, and Miss Perkins in charge of the Public room. The separate school has not opened yet but will do so on Tuesday, Sept. 6th with two Sisters of the Ursuline order in charge.

Mrs. Gibson spent the Labor Day week and with her sister Mrs. A. McBride of Bygonia also renewing old acquaintances in that locality.

NORMAL SCHOOL REGISTRATIONS

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 10 a.m.—Worship,
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 Subject—"The Greatest of These."
 11 a.m.—Church School.
 7:30 p.m.—Worship.
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Sep. 11—13th Sunday after Trinity
 8 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion.

11 a.m.—Service of Matins and
 Sermon. Subject—"A Cross Section
 of the Kingdom—1938."
 2 p.m.—Sunday School. All
 parents are urged to see that their children
 are present.

3 p.m.—Meeting of the Executive of
 the A. Y. P. A.
 7:30 p.m.—St. Andrew's, Gleichen
 Devotion and Sermon.

No service at Strathmore.
 Wednesday, Sept. 14th—A meeting
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EUCHARISTIC DAY

ST. MARK'S CATHEDRAL
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Announcement has been made that speakers for the general meeting of Catholics which will be held in connection with the Eucharistic Day at St. Mark's Cathedral grounds next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, will be Most Rev. Francis P. Carroll, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary, who will give the main address, and Patrick O'Hynes, Calgary. Miss Isabel Kennedy, Calgary, and Ludwig Kamekua of Canmore, representing the Young Catholic lady.

On Saturday afternoon, the press and Church vestment exhibit will be open in the old St. Mary's rectory, 221 18th avenue west, and will continue for the general public until Sunday evening. Numerous Catholic papers and magazines from many parts will be on view.

The Eucharistic Day ceremonies will commence on Sunday morning with general Communion at the young men and women of Calgary and

district at the 9 o'clock Masses in all Calgary churches.
 There will be groups of young people representing the Young People's Societies, which are affiliated with the Federation of Catholic Youth in the Catholic League of Calgary, from Canmore, Valdez, Turner Valley, Bow, Crowsnest, Rockyford, Strathmore, Finch Creek and other towns.

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Notice is hereby given that William MacMillan of Rosebud, has made application to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, for a lease of the following road allowance or surveyed highway, viz: On the North side of legal subdivision 14 of Section 26, Township 26, Range 21, West of the 4th Meridian.

Any protest against the granting of the above mentioned lease must be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated at Rosebud, Alberta, this 27th day of August, 1938.
 WM. MACMILLAN, Applicant.

APPLICATION FOR LEASE OF
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Notice is hereby given that Christ-opher Guiney, of Rosebud, has made application to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, for a lease of the following road allowance or surveyed highway, viz: On the South side of legal subdivision 14 of Section 26, Township 26, Range 21, West of the 4th Meridian.

Any protest against the granting of the above mentioned lease must be forwarded to the Minister of Public Works, Edmonton, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

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With Labor Day for 1938 a thing of the past, summer days and summer sports reach their last outcome, and the harder more virile sports of Fall and Winter catch the sportsman's fancy. In the shortening days, and chilly fall weather rugby will reign supreme and hockey will follow swiftly in its wake.

For many years Strathmore has produced an Intermediate Hockey Club that has been a great credit to a small centre. Hockey has been a great booster for business and for a good sportsmanship feeling between towns. In view of these assets it seems that some steps should be taken to renovate or repair our local skating rink. With fine crops in the surrounding district and a general business upturn, why not stage a great Early Winter Carnival with proceeds going to fix up the ice centre. It is probable that every business man in town would give loyal support to such a venture so come on sports men lets get together and see what can be done.

Funer Valley definitely will put a Hockey team in the Alberta Senior League this winter. Fred McKay, acting manager in place Fred Cameron stated that sufficient talent had been gathered together to enable Coach Piper, formerly of the Trail Smoke Eaters, to make a strong team to represent the Valley's bid for Allan Cup honors for 1938-39.

Well it seems that our own Calgary House are meeting tough competition in the Western Rugby Conference. The Winnipeg Blue Bombers took a 6-0 decision at Winnipeg Sept. 3 and Regina Riders trounced our 1-0 a 9-0 victory out of the Cronin crew. The Edmonton Eds bowed 11-0 to the Queen City Riders and so Alberta Rugby representatives go back to training to make the next title an entirely different story.

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